

GREENFIELD BOARD OF HEALTH

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Nicole Zabko Director

Members: William Doyle, M.D. (2020) Tammy Mosher (2018) Steve Adam (2019)

Board of Health – Meeting Minutes February 13, 2017

Members:

Present: Dr. William Doyle (Elected), Chair. (June, 2020)

• Present: Steven Adam. (June, 2019)

• Present: Nicole Zabko, Successor Qualified.

• Present: Tammy Mosher. (June, 2018)

Also Present:

• Cheryl Volpe RN, BSN: Greenfield Public Health Nurse

• William Martin, Greenfield Mayor

1) Meeting Called to order: 5:30 PM

2) Mayor- Health Quest

Doyle- Brief remarks; Boards role?

Mayor - Thanks for Meeting tonight

- BOH expectations- regulatory; maintain licenses and regulations
- 4 years ago; experiences with issues with people and access to healthcare (getting to the door)
- BFMC; Valley Medical, CHC, CVS ect # of doors, but people can't get to the door
- Oak Courts and Leyden Woods- Transportation, issues with access
- With military experience > Med Cap (effective program for medical services education and patient)
- Mobile medical clinic
- Stake holders = UMASS, BFMC, CHC, Ambulance company
- Medcare ambulance interested; strong stakeholder; MIH > community EMS program; could expand to county
- Reduce ED care and attendance
- BFMC > Chart Grant > defined with measured outcomes (lower rates, insurance companies)
- Wellness program at COA expansion, community senior center health quest will be at this location
- Medcare Ambulance to participate
- Tier 1 @ city; Tier 2+3 higher level



Collaborators: BFMC, Medcare, GCC, UMASS, Town of Greenfield Sites: Oak Courts, Elm Terrace; Leyden Woods and Greenfield Gardens

- -Supervised Nurse RN
- -Varied agenda for each site
- Flash drive ideas every patient gets one
- -Nutrition, Obesity, DV, Chronic Illness, Footcare

Doyle- very ambitious plan

Funds: BFMC: \$50,000 (contribution to host community), Patriot Care – Med Mari: \$15,000,

Budget: \$65,666.00

Mosher- Very much needed; measureable outcome written? -RN will develop

-Community rooms: not used often

- -RN Nurse- Doc candidate at Umass: Sherry Monnette
- -C.Russo- President At BDMC (likes idea)
- -Another person to be hired
- -Medcare offered vehicle; Greenfield has old ambulance

NZ- Advisory Board? Hope is Supervisor;

-Health Dept/ BOH Involved?

Mayor- yes

-School nurses - tried to use them, but entered in teachers union

-BOH didn't want to work with major and this time

Monnette- Coordinating partners sits, dates;

Mosher – Focus on first visit?

- Create attention and trust
- Diabetes; medication education; crisis discussion

TM- Consistency is important;

TM – Hospital to help promote?

Mayor – yes

NZ – Regs? BOH approval?

- Mayor another level, go in front
- Mayor expands quickly > BOH involvement

General Discussion:

CV- Schools preventative

March – Agenda follow-up



NZ to research MIH

2) Meeting adjourn: 6:34 PM SA, TM 2nd

Respectfully Submitted,

Approved: BOH Chair Dr. William Doyle

Mary 15-2017

Date

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